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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

George Verlaan et al.

Serial No.: 09/770,773

Filed: January 26, 2001

Title: REHYDRATION COMPOSITION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. section 1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to Examiner's action mailed March 6, 2003, be extended for one month to and including May 6, 2003.

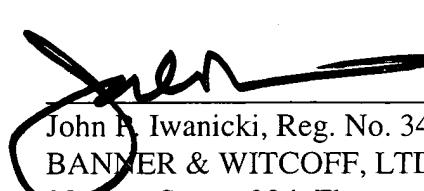
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Respectfully submitted,

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